



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Lawrence G. Clawson and Mark R. Hagan
Application No.: 09/870,412 Group Art Unit: 1745
Filed: May 30, 2001 Examiner: Mercado, Julian A.
Confirmation No.: 7092
For: JOINT-CYCLE HIGH-EFFICIENCY FUEL CELL SYSTEM WITH
POWER GENERATING TURBINE

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated June 4, 2003, the claims of Group I (Claims 1-65) drawn to a first subcombination are elected for prosecution. Applicant reserves the right to file a continuing application or take such other appropriate action as deemed necessary to protect the non-elected inventions. Applicant does not hereby abandon or waive any rights in the non-elected inventions.

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An extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested.
A Petition for an Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently.

Respectfully submitted,

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